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In re Application of

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PHNL 020183

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METHOD OF JOINT DECODING OF POSSIBLY MUTILATED CODE WORDS

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Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

In response to the Office Action mailed May 31, 2006,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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